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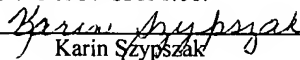
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Applicant submits new formal drawings of Figures 1-5 (10 sheets) to replace the originally filed drawings in the application. No new matter has been introduced.

In the event that any issues remain, Examiner Davis is requested to contact the undersigned attorney at (919) 419-9350 to resolve same.

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